is a Home Ruler and One of the Most Useful of Irish Peers.

(Copyright, 1912, by the Brentwood Company) The Earl of Carrick, who is due nere from England on board the Cedric, is one of the most useful members of the House wedding breakfast at the core of of Lords, who owes his seat there to the wedding breakfast at Claridge's Hotel, barony of the United Kingdom, which he among whom were Mrs. Hinsdill Parreceived last summer. For his earldom of sons, sister of Mr. Burchard, Lord and Carrick, his viscounty of Ikerin and his Lady Greville, Comte de Paris, Captain other honors were all Irish dignities, and the Hon, and M. J. Fielder, Mr. and other nonon advanced Liberal and a Home Mrs. Howard C. Levis, Mrs. Le Hasill. Ruler to boot, he was naturally unable Mrs. George Borwick and E. W. Rice. to secure election as a representive peer of Ireland, the peers entitled to vote in these elections being overwhelmingly Unionist. After resigning his commission ment of Agriculture in Ireland, where, as bridge street, Brooklyn. The Rev. Dr. Viscount Ikerin, during the lifetime of his father he rendered valuable services in trade, and on another occasion secured the conviction in the Central Criminal court in London and the punishment of a big firm known as the Irish Linen Company, which made a practice of selling at their various stores handkerchiefs and similar articles made of a mixture of street, Burton T. Bishop. The ushers were Frederick Baie, of Manhattan: Albert Mellen, of Boston, Edward C. Boynton and John McCormick.

Mr. Bishop was graduated from Amberst in 1806, and the bride was graduated from Adelphi in 1807. They will be at home after March 1 at No. 1223 President street, Brooklyn. trade, and on another occasion secured linen and cotton and falsely described as lrish linen. It should be added that whereas here in America the federal law against misleading labels to goods is retricted to foods and drugs, in Great Brit-

ain and Ireland it extends to nearly all

other articles of trade.

As inspector of the Department of Agriculture in Ireland he had many odd experiences, his work having led him ocasionally to disguise himself as a laborer in order to purchase samples of food sold to the poorer classes, notably the butter. Lord Carrick is descended from the same ancestry as the Marquis of Ormonde, and, like the latter, his patronymic is Butler. His viscounty of Ikerin. in County Tipperary, dates from the reign of James I, and his earldom was bestowed by George II in 1748. But for the omission of a formality in ancient times Lord Carrick would be to-day the premier earl of Ireland. His ancestor, Edmond de Botiller, was created on September 1, 1315, Earl of Carrick, in County Tipperary, by Edward II of England for his ervices in fighting the Scotch. The records bore testimony that he received the feudal seigneury of the castle and manors of Karryk, Maegriffyn and Roscra for himself and his heirs, "sub nomine et honore Comites de Karryk." But in those days a mere patent was not sufficient for the creation of an earl. It was necessary, in order to complete the dignity, that he should be "belted." The ceremony of belting was for some reason or other omitted or neglected in the case of this Edmond le Botiller, Earl of Carrick. Hence, although the descendants of Edmond le Botiller continued to enjoy the lands and the feudal rights bestowed apon him by Edward II, the earldom was regarded as non-existent, owing to the dignity not having been completed until the reign of George II.

The present earl is the seventh of his line, is married to a daughter of Colonel H. G. Lindsay, a member of the family of which the Earl of Crawford is the

in Washington and New York who used to pass herself off first as a daughter of the childless Lord and Lady Holland and later on as "the third daughter of the Earl of Carrick," until her pretensions were exposed in these letters as bogus, just in time to prevent her from securing the hand, and incidentally the large forta man weil known in the life of the State of New York. Lord Carrick is arriving here to-day in connection with the work of the International Exchange of Students, in which he is much

Lady Esme and Her Dog.

Lady Eame Gordon, who in reply to the question as to "whether in the event of a fire she would rescue her husband or her deg" intimated her preference for the quadruped, adding that she "would not hesitate a moment about the matter," is a widow, and it is only fair to add, by way of explanation of her avowal, that the late Lord Eame Gordon, a younger brother of the bankrupt Lord Huntley, premier marquis of Scotland, was not exactly what might be described as a model husband.

He used to go by the sobriquet of "Teapot" Gordon, a nickname dating from his Eton days. He was the most comely of four particularly good looking brothers, making his home at Bella Villa, near Boulter's Lock, was renowned on the Thames for his particularly picturesque and ingenious profanity. His first financial smash came when he was at Oxford, at Brasenose College, and he rather violated university ethics by pleading "infancy"-that is to say, his minority-

He married a very rich woman, who inherited a big fortune from her father, a great Glastonbury multi-millionaire which did not, however, prevent her from allowing him to figure time and again in the bankruptcy court without coming to his rescue. The means which he adopted for extorting money from her were sometimes extremely entertaining.

for not paving his creditors there.

On one memorable occasion, while shooting expedition in Albania, he got the better of her by pretending that he was captive in the hands of an Albanian dileftain, with whom he was really staying as a guest. There was the customary story of torture and eventual death unless the ransom was remitted by Lady Esme through the bandit chief's messengers, and as hesitation was at first shown as to the truth of the tale subsequent mes-

the ransom was sent, and in due course Lord Eame reappeared among his friends, mutilated, however, but in possessio of a full complement of ears and fingers, looking very cheerful, and with so much money in his pocket that for quite a tim he was enabled to dispense with appeals to his better half. Presumably the Albanian chieftain had likewise his share of the ransom; no doubt in the shape of a

percentage on the deal. memory of all this lingers in the mind of Lord "Teapot" Gordon's widow. PLAN DINNER FOR JAMES BRYCE. and if I call attention thereto it is in order to explain her publicly avowed preference for dogs as compared to husbands. MARQUISE DE FONTENOY.

AN ENGAGEMENT. engagement is announced of Miss Kohn, daughter of Mrs. Bessie to Charles R. Kohn, son of Mr. E. Louis Kohn. No date has been the wedding.

Anson Wood Burchard.

chard and Mrs. Theodore Hostetter were married to-day at St. Paul's Church, Onslow Square, the Rev. Webb Peploe officiating. Only a few friends

BISHOP-GOODWIN.

Miss Grace Goodwin, daughter of Mr. in the army as an officer of infantry—the and Mrs. Richard Goodwin, was married Torkshire regiment—he became one of to Clifford Monroe Bishop last evening the government inspectors of the Depart—at the home of her parents, No. 83 Bain-

The bride's attendants were Miss Ella promoting not only the agricultural but Seaman, Miss Mildred Bartley, Miss Milalso the manufacturing industries of Ire- dred Irish and Mrs. James P. Smith. land. On one occasion he figured as an Mr. Bishop, who is the son of Mr. and expert witness in an important lawsuit at Mrs. Ell H. Bishop, of No. 647 Putnam publin in connection with the Irish linen avenue, Brooklyn, had as best man his brother, Burton T. Bishop. The ushers

REYNOLDS-BATES.

[By Telegraph to The Tribune.] Baltimore, Dec. 5.—Miss Nellie Groome Bates, daughter of Mrs. John Routh, of Pittsburgh, was married to Captain Will-

Indisposition Will Prevent Ambassador from Entertaining in Person.

London, Dec. 5.-Whitelaw Reid, Amerian Ambassador to Great Britain, has been confined to his room since December and will be unable to go to his country house, Wrest Park, for the coming week end, when Prince and Princess Alexander of Teck are to be guests there for the shooting.

The physicians in attendance on Mr. Reid say there is nothing seriously the matter with the ambassador.

A NEW VIENNESE FARCE.

Comedy at the Irving Place Theatre Jery Diverting.

The Irving Place Theatre Stock Company produced last night a new Viennese piece, entitled "Damenwahl," which principles supposed to govern musical creproved to have the true qualities of farce comedy to an exceptional degree. The author is Felix Doerman, and he is entitled to high praise for turning out a plot which is genuinely facetious and owes nothing of its success to coarseness The situations are original and highly amusing and the fun is never forced. Such a piece offers large opportunities for skilful acting, and the Irving Place players took liberal advantage of them. Mr. Rub was delightful as the woman hunted youth, whose chief of which the Earl of Crawford is the failing was that he could never say no, chief, and has four children, all boys, and all the other parts were taken with Incidentally it may be mentioned that dash and enthusiasm. The play is one Incidentally it may be mentioned that of the best importations of its sort seen there was a woman tolerably well known here in many years. The cast was:

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Contract Between Them Is Broken, and Actress Will Rest a Year.

Blanche Bates and David Belasco have severed business relations. This announcement was made public from the by the statement that the contract be-tween the two had been cancelled by mutual consent, and in no way indicated any other than cordial relations between the two. manager's offices yesterday, accompanied

he two.

At Mr. Belasco's offices the announcement was further made on behalf of Miss Bates that the cancellation of her contract did not mean her retirement from the stage. It was further stated that far from the actress's recent marriage to George Creel, of Denver, having influenced her decision to leave the stage, sie fully expected to resume her work next year. She at no time has contemplated retirement, it was declared.

WHITE RATS HAVE NEW CLUB

Actors' Union Plans Elaborate Housewarming for To-morrow Night.

The White Rate Actors' Union of America will open its new \$200,000 clubhouse and administrative building in this city to-morrow night. The building is in 46th street, off Broadway, and will contain the business offices of the organization and its publication, one hundred sleeping chambers and other clubhouse

facilities.

Housewarming festivities will be observed under the direction of Junie McCree, president of the organization, who
will deliver the dedicatory address. Parwill deliver the dedicatory address. Par-ticipants in the programme will include George M. Cohan, Willie Collier, Weber and Fields. Montgomery and Stone and other well known performers. The union has a membership of more than twenty-five thousand theatrical managers and

WILL GIVE BURNS'S PLAY.

Robert Hilliard will be seen in "The argyle Case," a detective play, of which William J. Burns is part author, at the william J. Burns is part author, at the Criterion Theatre, beginning Tuesday night December 24. The play has to do with a mystery, and has as its other authors Harriet Ford and Harvey J. o'Higgins. Mr. Hilliard will be the decreting to her latest published statement, she would readily have left him to perish in a conflagration in order to save her dog, she did not relish the idea of seeing him thus disappear piecemeal. So the ransom was sent, and in due course

PLAYS TO AID HOME THRIFT. Through the courtesy of Mrs. J. Borden Harriman, three Irish plays will be

den Harriman, three Irish plays will be presented at the Colony Club on Friday, December 13, at 3 o'clock, by Miss Dorothea Spinney, of England. The proceeds will be applied to the work of the Home Thrift Association, of this city. Miss Louise Bridgham, director of the association, will discuss the work of that organization as carried on in the old Gracie mansion.

Citizens of New York comprising the American Committee for the Celebration

of the One Hundreth Anniversary of Peace Among English Speaking Peoples, 1914-15, will give a reception and dinner for James Bryce, the retiring British Ambassador, next Friday, at the Hotel Astor. John A. Stewart is chairman of the committee of invitation. George W. Burleigh, of No. 52 Wall street, is the secretary of the dinner committee.

EARL OF CARRICK COMING MRS. HOSTETTER A BRIDE THE BOSTON ORCHESTRA CHAMPION FOR 'THIRSTS'

London, Dec. 5.—Anson Wood Bur- A Symphony by a Finn and a George Boldt Sounds Call Against the Dry Demon. Concerto by Beethoven.

AN APPRECIATIVE AUDIENCE SIMEON FORD IS SILENT

The Return of Fritz Kreisler Subject of "Drinks for Men" Enthusiastically Welcomed Last Night.

To judge by the conduct of the audi-Boston Symphony Orchestra in Carnegie Hall last night, the more music New orchestra are in danger of becoming superfluous. Least of all could such a feature which could more easily be spared at these concerts than at any other series on the dais during the entire evening. in this concert-ridden city. To say at once all that is necessary, though not all that it would be a pleasure to say if time allowed, Mr. Fritz Kreisler, Dr. Muck and the orchestra played the concerto for violin by Beethoven. It was the combination which carried the greatest joy to the minds and hearts of the listeners. lam Edward Reynolds, of the United States revenue cutter service, this evening, at Winston, the country home of the bridges cousin. Mrs. James Bates. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Daniel Dorchester, of Brooklyn. of the cadenza in the first movement. MR. REID'S PLANS CHANGED Until then a captious critic, with his ears still full of the fine violin performances, which have been the pervading feature of the concert season thus far, might have been pardoned a feeling that Mr. Kreisler was a little too much under the domination of that spirit of unrest which is threatening to become a weariness to the flesh and a curse to the spirit in this period of nerve-rasping musical activity. But when Mr. Kreisler began Beethoven's once and happiness and refreshment. The concert began with the first of

Sibelius's four symphonies and concluded, after the concerto, with the "Academic" overture by Brahms. Three of the four been peculiarly industrious during ativeness ought to be more Swedish than Russian, but who has nevertheless managed to stamp an individuality upon much of his music which the lovers of nationalism in music have pretty generally agreed northern peninsula of Europe than any than they have with the Swedes, whose ment as servants. He said: culture they imbibed for seven centuries before the allied powers handed them over to Russia, a little more than a century ago, for they are distant kinsmen of the Huns. But all that is left of the primitive elements in their literature and music is to be found in their folksong, and this has not tinctured their artistic creations very deeply. What has been recognized as national in the considerable number of compositions of Sibelius has been a gentle melancholy, the atmosphere of the land which its people fondly and beautiland which its people fondly and beautielaboration. An eloquent performance thaler and Patrick J. McGrath. won for it as grateful a recognition as it

M. YSAYE PLAYS AGAIN

A Fine Recital in Carnegie

M. Ysave resumed the high and firm artistic ground on which he placed himself fifth time within a fortnight in Carnegie Hall yesterday afternoon, and, as on the first occasion, the climax of the recital was reached in the performance of the played the organ transcription of the ac- at the Globe Theatre, will be given there companiment, and proper care having been taken to have the instrument, which was so unruly a member at the Philharmonic Society's concert a week ago, in tune, the performance was one which gave the loftiest kind of pleasure. With Camille Decreus, his regular accompanist (and a very capable one he is) at the pisnoforte Mr. Ysaye played a sonata in D by Mozart, Bruch's second concerto, in which he reached the same high plane in the romantic vein that he had reached in the chaconne in the classic, an aria by Vieuxtemps and a Havanaise by Saint-Saëns. To vociferous demands for more he responded but once, setting an admirable example for the suppression of a nuisance which is become intolerable at afternoon recitals.

REPEAT "MANON LESCAUT"

Caruso and Bori Please Audience at Metropolitan.

There was little to call for comment in Lescaut" except to say that Miss Bori and Mr. Caruso were both in unusually good voice and that the house was large and enjoyed itself to the fullest. Puccini's youthful opera appears to please the crowd better than in former years, and the applause was long continued.

To be fair, melody, spontaneous and appealing, the work has, even if its crudity of substance will not bear comparison with Massenet's far more Gallic "Manon." Massenet is to come later in the season. Selwyn. so all tastes will be pleased, and the good Abbé Prevost, were he only in the land of the living, would surely smile his sweetest and bow his courtliest before the two young women who are to incarnate his Manon.

Miss Bori and Miss Farrar have youth and grace and loveliness and charm, and with either as the chief protagonist it guest of Mrs. John Hays Hammond with would be a wonder indeed if poor Dr. other friends at the Hudson Theatre last Grieux's passion were not abundantly ex-

Much Too Serious for Association's Humorist.

Alas and lackaday! Likewise zounds: ence at the second evening concert of the Shall the anti-liquor people troop up to Albany with men and money and put through bills abolishing the hotel men's most prelific source of revenue without a hand being raised in its defence? Not if George C. Boldt knows it. No, nor six hundred other members of the New York State Hotel Men's Association, either.

The six hundred gathered around the board in the grand ballroom of Mr. yet occurred to indicate to the lovers of Boldt's famous hostlery last night to disthe highest class of orchestral music in cuss this question and others that con-New York that the visits of the Boston cern hotel men from the Battery to Rouse's Point. It was a very deep discussion, and no one point emphasized its thing be imagined in connection with the gravity more than the fact that Simeon solo feature of last night's meeting, a Ford, most sparkling in the hotel men's galaxy of afterdinner speakers, sat silent

Millions of the "Drys."

"The anti-saloon interests," said Mr. Boldt, when he had been introduced as a great man by Edward M. Tlerney, of the Victoria, because he had preserved his childlike spirit through the years, "last year collected more than \$1,000,000 to advance their propaganda. More than \$60,000 of this was spent in this state alone.

"This year they are sending two men and a whole force of assistants to Albany to oppose any bill that you may offer to lengthen the hours during which liquor may be sold. They are also going to advocate the extension of local option to cities of the third class and to the twenty-five counties of the state which have no large cities in them.

"Now, what has been done to oppose this attack upon our just, legitimate bustness? Nothing. What you ought to do is to go to Albany and tell the Legislathat the function of the hotels of the serene romance there were peace and state is to provide man and beast with healing on the wings of the music at meat and drink, and that there is no good and sufficient reason for abolishing this portion of your business.

"There ought to be a law which shall allow the voters of each locality to say whether they shall have hotel licenses, symphonies have been heard in New York. as distinguished from saloon and drug Mr. Altschuler and the Russian Orchestra store licenses, and not require them half a dozen years in making propaganda shall be wet or dry. This is a question for the Finnish composer, who by all the which threatens you upstate men more than it does us in the city, and it is up to you to fight for your rights."

Waiters' Strike Surprise

Mr. Tlerney, harking back to the waiters' strike of last spring, confessed to recognize as characteristically Finnish. the surprise of the hotel men of the city The Finns are an older race in the great when the mailed hands of paid agitators were suddenly raised in their midst, and of the Teutonic peoples located there and warned his associates that it was not belong to an entirely different stock. good policy to go over the heads of that Racially they may be said to have more class of native citizens who were now n common with their present masters knocking at their doors seeking employ-

Other speakers were Congressman Wal- literature. The book, which was printed fully call Suomi, and a feeling for melodic ter M. Chandler, of Brooklyn, and John grace which is not characteristic of the McGlynn, of Troy, president of the as-Muscovite art which has colored the style sociation. Among those present were of Sibelius, and which spoke out most Edward Lazansky, Secretary of State; MISS BATES LEAVES BELASCO forcibly last night in the frequently rude Commissioner Rhinelander Waldo, Fred A. humor of the scherzo, which seems to us Reed, of the Park Avenue Hotel, president the most spontaneous and excellent por- of the City Hotel Men's Association; tion of the symphony. But there was Congressman Luther W. Mott, of Osmuch to be grateful for in the frank wego; Assemblyman Alfred E. Smith, melodiousness of the work, though it Congressman-elect Henry Salant, Dr. was occasionally overwhelmed by over- George O'Hanlon, Herman C. Mergan-

THEATRICAL NOTES

A "command" vaudeville performance in honor of President Taft is being arranged for the near future by B. F Keith at one of his local theatres. The performance will be patterned on given at various times abroad in honor of foreign sovereigns.

Maurice Nitke, violinist, musical director of the New York Press Club, will appear on the programme at the concert at his first recital, when he played for the at the Winter Garden on Sunday night next.

The fiftieth performance of "The Lady of the Slipper." in which Montgomery chaconne by Vitall. Mr. Frank L. Sealy and Stone and Elsie Janis are appearing. to-morrow night.

> A theatre party made up of member of the Alumni Association of Stevens Institute of Technology will be given at the performance of "The Count of Luxembourg" at the New Amsterdam tonight.

> Hedwig Reicher and Grace Griswold have been added to the list of those who will appear at Sherry's Monday afternoop at the Christmas fund benefit presided over by Frederick Townsend Mar-

The engagement of Mrs. Fiske in "The High Road" at the Hudson Theatre has been extended until the middle of Janu-

The Cercle Dramatique de l'Alliance Française presented "Le Secret de Poli-chinelle," by Pierre Wolff, at the Aerial Theatre, of the New Amsterdam Theatre Building, last night. The performance was a benefit for the French Hospital.

in "My Hest Girl," has been engaged for ast night's performance of "Manon the cast supporting Weber and Fields at the Weber and Fields Music Hall. Mrs. Curtis Burnley, a society enter-

tainer, will make her vaudeville debut Monday at the Colonial Theatre. She will present impersonations of children and the Southern negro. Sixty Chinese school children will at

tend the performance of "The Yellow Jacket" at the Fulton Treatre, Saturday afternoon as the guests of Harris & The Mount Holyoke alumnae association of New York, has arranged a benefit

performance of "Little Women" at the Playhouse on Monday evening, December 9, the proceeds to be applied on the Student Alumnæ Building fund. Mrs. William Howard Taft was the

A TWENTIETH CENTURY GOVERNOR



\$3,000 FOR "THE EMBARGO" Bryant's Work Brings Highest

Price at Rogers Sale. Booklovers and collectors from this and street, to bid and buy at the sale of the important collection of books, manumorning and afternoon, and the total foot- this city. He served throughout the Civil

ed up to \$10,864 55. Of this amount the highest price, \$3,000, was paid by W. T. Wallace for what is to the command of a company when musbelieved to be the finest copy known to tered out in 1865. A wife and three exist of the rare first edition of William sons survive him. He will be buried in Cullen Bryant's first book, "The Embargo." It was written when the author was thirteen years old, and the work is declared to be one of the most remarkable performances in the annals of American

in Boston in 1808, is uncut. George D. Smith gave the next highest price (\$1,100) for a fine copy of a newly discovered tract by Daniel Leeds, one of Hospital, Brooklyn, yesterday, where he the early American imprints, "News of a Strumpet," printed by William Bradford Mr. Hear was a clear manufacturer up in New York in 1701. Mr. Smith also ob- to ten years ago, when he retired from tained for \$700 and \$710, respectively, business. He was born in Bavaria, Au-Leeds's "The Great Mistery of Foxcraft gust 16, 1838, and came to this country Discovered" and the second part of "The when he was fifteen years old. Three

TO ENTERTAIN FOR BARONESS. Baroness von Suttner, recipient of the advancement of peace, will be entertained at luncheon next Monday by Mrs. James Speyer at her house, No. 257 Madison avenue. Other guests will be Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, Mrs. Gaynor, Mrs. David H. Greer, Mrs. Oscar Straus, Mrs. George B. McClellan, Miss Louise Sands, Mrs. Archer M. Huntington, Mrs. John Clinton Gray, Mrs. Robert Fulton Cutting, Mrs. Charles Alexander and Mrs Cadwalader Jones.

"BLACKBIRDS" IS PRODUCED. [By Telegraph to The Tribune.]

Atlantic City, Dec. 5.-Laura Crews and H. B. Warner made their first appearance as co-stars to-night, when they presented "Blackbirds," a romantic comedy in three acts, at the Apollo Theatre. Harry James Smith, author of "Mrs. Bumpstead-Leigh," is responsible for the new play, which is a story of modern life in New York and the Middle West. The company appearing with Miss Crews and Mr. Warner includes Sydney Valentine, Mathilde Cottrelly, James Bradbury, Jean Galbraith, Ethel Winthrop and E. Y. Backus. The play, which is produced by Henry Miller, will be shortly seen in New York.

COLLIER TO PLAY BOB ACRES. William Collier as Bob Acres, in Sheri-dan's famous comedy, "The Rivals," is the attraction announced by Lew Fields for a special matince at the Forty-eighth Street Theatre during New Year's week. The performance will be given for charity. The part is one made famous for modern theatrogoers by the late Joseph Jefferson and it understood to be one Mr. Collier has long been anxious to play. He will be supported by a cast of prominent play-

CHRISTMAS FUND PROGRAMME. Frederick Townsend Martin last night announced that the programme of the Christmas Fund entertainment and musical to be given at Sherry's next Monday afternoon, December 3, would include the Russian Balalaika Quintet; the Chinese magician, Ching Ling Foo, who at this entertainment makes his first appearance in America for fourteen years; Mile, Emma Trentini, with members of her company; Miss Marie Dressler, Mme, Yvonne pany; Miss Marie Dressler, Mme. Yvonne de Treville, Miss Grace Griswold, Miss Jane Cowl and company, Miss Hedwig Reicher, had those delightful children, Norris and Helen Millington, from "The Daughter of Heaven" company.

All of the private boxes have been sold, but a few choice seats may be obtained from Mr. Martin at the Social Branch of the Christmas Fund, at the Hotel Plaza.

OBITUARY.

CAPTAIN J. W. MEESE. Captain J. W. Meese, the first business

manager of "The St. Paul Pioneer Press" and widely known in publishing and other cities gathered in force yesterday at Grand Army circles, died yesterday at the Merwin Salesrooms, No. 16 East 40th the home of his son, Horace S. Meese, No. ond year. For fifteen years he was man scripts and broadsides left by John Rog- ager of the Pennsylvania State Printing ers, who was a merchant of Boston from Office, at Harrisburg, and he was at one 1729 to 1797. There were sessions in the time connected with the Irving Press in War in the 45th Pennsylvania Infantry enlisting as a private in 1861, and rising Arlington National Cemetery at Wash-

FREDERICK HEEG. Frederick Heeg, an oldtime Republican

politician in Brooklyn and a prominent Jason having been a past master o Euclid Lodge and a member of the Grand Lodge of the state, died in the Mutual Mr. Heeg was a clgar manufacturer up Bradford in 1705. The same buyer gave space to some and three daughters survive. Services will be held under Masonic auspices at the Heeg home. No. 332 Stuyvesant avenue, to-night. The Rev. Clarence B. Etzler, pastor of the Universalist Church of Good Tidings, will officiate.

MRS. JOSEPH R. GRISMER.

Mrs. Joseph R. Grismer, better known Nobel prize for her efforts toward the as Phoebe Davis, actress and playwright died at her home in Larchmont, N. Y. Wednesday. She retired from the stage two years ago after twelve seasons in her play. "Way Down East." She was born in Cardigan, Wales, in 1864, and came to this country with her father, Captain Daniel Davies, of the lighthouse service. Mrs. Grismer made her first appearance

on the stage in 1881 as a member of San Francisco stock company. Mr. Grismer was the leading man. She afterward married him. Together they starred through the West for several seasons, and then came to Broadway in "The New This was in 1893. The follow-South. ing year she took the lead in "Humanity, and the next year began work in "Way Down East."

Down East."

She and Mr. Grimser and their son lived in Larchmont for several years. The funeral will be held to-day at St. John's Church, Larchmont, and the double quartet from the Lambs, of which Mr. Grismer is the shepherd, will supply the music.

OBITUARY NOTES.

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WILLIAM PROVIN. sreat keeper of wampum of the Great Council of the United States, Improved Order of Red Men, is dead at his home in Westfield, Mass. He was seventy-one years old. Mr. Provin was prominent in Masonry and odd Fellowsilp, and had been a State Senator.

DR. NATHAN G. WARD, a widely known physician of Philadelphia and a member of the faculty of Temple University of that city, is dead at the home of his parents in Elizabeth, N. C.

of his parents in Engageria, N. C.
CHARLES S. HOLLINSHEAD, for
many years president of the Union Fire
Insurance Company of Pennsylvania, is
dead at his home in Merchantsville, N. J.
He was sixty-four years old.

WHAT IS GOING ON TO-DAY.

Poultry show, New Grand Central Paisce.

Meeting of the International Pure Milk League
Hotel Actor, 2:30 p. m.

Meeting of the International Pure Milk League, Hotel Astor, 2:30 p. m.
Address by Mayor Gaynor on "The Control of Vice and Crime" at the opening of the University Forum of New York University, Judson Memorial Building, Washington Square, 5 p. m.
Address by W. H. Hotchkias, ex-State Commissioner of Insurance, on "Some Obligations of Society to the Worker," Cooper Union, 8 p. m.
Dence and collation of the Kappa Alpha Praternity, Hotel Astor, 8 p. m.
Lecture by Owen R. Lovejoy, secretary of the National Child Labor Committee, on "Types of Working Children," Church of the Messiah, Park avenue and 34th street, 8:15 p. m.
President's Day at the Equal Suffrage League

President's Day at the Equal Suffrage Leagues of the City of New York, Hotel Astor, 3 p. m. Business meeting at 2:15 p. m.

Titanic memorial benefit performance, Century Theatre, 2:16 p. m.

Tublic lectures of the Board of Education, 8:15 p. m.: Manhattan—De Witt Clinton High School, 59th street and Tenth avenue, "Songs and Stories of American Pioneers," Miss and Stories of American Pioneers," Miss 219 West 125th street and N. 219 West 125th street.

h street, west of Seventh,
G. Bayard Young; Public hue A and East 82! street,
"Florence C. Lockwood; 32, 1824 street and Wadswor he Reform of the Tariff," P. E. Agger; Public School; avenue and 127th street, "P. Persis." Albert T. Tait; 160, Sufolk and Rivington, the Champion of Slaver; ee; Y. M. B. A. Hall, No. 3, y. "Recent Boonomic Ch. Kirkpatrick.

R. Kirkpatrick MARRIED.

CONVERSE—BURR—On Thursday, December 6, 1912, by the Rev. Dr. Slattery, at Grace Church Chantry, Dorothy, daughter of the late Charles Henry Burr, of Williamstewn, Mass., to Henry Coster Converse, of Boston,

Best, Estelle S.
Chrystle, Emily H.
Goelet, Harriette W.
Gracie, Archibald,
Hinsdale, James H.
Johnson, William S.
Kenyon, Rebecca R.
Kimber, Rev. Joshua.

BEST-On December 5, Estelle Starr, widow of Albert Rest. Notice of funeral hereafter. CHRYSTIE—Suddenly, Wednesday, December
4. at her residence, Hastings-on-Hudson, N.
Y., Emily H., wife of the late William Few
Chrystle, in her Sist year. Services at her
late residence, Saturday morning, at 11
o clock.

GOELET—At her residence, in Paris, De-cember 4, 1912, Harriette Warren Goelet, widow of the late Robert Goelet and daughter of the late George Henry Warren. GRACIE—Suddenly, in this city, on December 4, 1912, Colonel Archibald Gracie, aged 54 years, Funeral services at Calvary Church, corner of Fourth ave. and 21st st., at 2 o'clock, on Friday, December 6, Special train will leave Grand Central Station for Woodlawn Cemetery at 2:45 o'clock.

HINSDALE—At Pittsfield, Mass., December 4, 1912, James Henry Hinsdale, in the 19th year of his age. Funeral from his late residence, No. 54 Wendell ave., on Friday, December 6, at 2:30 p. m.

JOHNSON—On December 3, 1912, William S. Johnson, son of the late Sylvander Johnson, in the 59th year of his age. Interment on Friday, at North Adams, Mass. KENYON—On the steamship Cincinnati, at sea, November 27, Rebecca Ross Townley, wife of Robert N. Kenyon. Funeral service on Friday, December 6, at 10 a. m., at her late residence, No. 19 West 82d st.

KIMBER—Suddenly, on December 3, at his late residence, No. 26 Gramercy Park, the Rev. Joshua Kimber, for forty-five years a secretary of the Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society, in the 77th year of his age, Funeral services at Caivary Church, Fourth ave, and 21st st., on Friday, December 6, at 10 o'clock.

LLOYD—Tuesday evening, December 3, 1912, after a short iliness, Nina Tiighman, wife of Isaac Ferris Lloyd. Funeral from her late residence, No. 33 West 70th st., Friday morning, December 6, at 10 o'clock, Interment at convenience of family. Philadelphia and Baltimore papers please copy.

M'GRATH-Suddenly, on December 5, 1 James P. McGrath, at his residence, No. Weirfield st., Brooklyn.

MOORE—On December 4, 1912, James Moor beloved husband of Emma Burck. Funer-services at his late residence, No. 376 2d st Brooklyn, Saturday evening, December 7, 8 o'clock.

OGDEN-Suddenly, on December 4, 1912, at his late residence, No. 250 West 88th st., Herbert S. Ogden, in the 61st year of his age. Funeral services at the Rutgers Presbyterian Church, Broadway and 73d st., Saturday, December 7, at 10 a. m. Interment at Wilton, Conn. Please omit flowers.

OLDHAM—At Derby, Conn., on December 1912, Martha A. Oldham, wife of Edward Oldham. Funeral Saturday, December 1912, at Derby, Conn.

PLINKETT—On Wednesday, December 4, 1912. James Plunkett, beloved husband of Margaret Plunkett (nee Hayes). Funeral on Saturday, December 7, at 9:30 a. m., from his late residence, No. 21 Fourth Place, Brooklyn. RIDER Entered into rest, Lucy H. Rider, wife of James Rider, Central Valley, N. Y. Services Sunday, 2 p. m., at home. Train leaves 23d st., Erle R. R., 8:50 a. m.

· CEMETERIES. THE WOODLAWN CEMETERS, 283d St. By Harlem Train and by Trelley. Office. 20 East 28d St., N. Y.

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